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SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST FOR REFUND

(37 CFR 1.28)

Sir:

Applicant supplements the original Requests for Refund of the excess amount paid pursuant to 37 CFR 1.28 mailed April 10, 2002¹ and received in the USPTO on April 22, 2002.

The original Request for Refund was made based upon the original filing fee paid of \$1,632. An additional claim fee of \$540 was charged to counsel's deposit account no. 06-0250 on March 28, 2002 with notice of the charge to the deposit account received on May 6, 2002. Therefore, the actual filing fee paid was \$2,172 (\$1,632 + \$540). As a result, the amount indicated in the original Request for Refund was in error.

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The original request for refund indicated the filing fee paid as \$1,632 when the actual filing fee paid was \$2,172. Accordingly, the original refund amount indicated as \$816 (\$1,632/2) should have been \$1,086 (\$2,172/2). As a result, an additional refunded amount of \$270 (\$1,086 - \$816) is believed to be due.

Therefore, it is respectfully requested that an additional refund of \$270 be made.

Please credit Deposit Account No. 06-0250 with the refunded amount.

Respectfully submitted,

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